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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.121

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated March 27, 2006, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract begins on page 5 of this paper

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 6 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 10 of this paper and include one replacement sheet.

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